JOHNNY'S LETTER



new york—there is I swell wren in this town that aint got no common kind of a feller on her string

he is culchured just like a 5th avenoo guv

, her name is mamie, I know, because I herd the other gurl call her that when they got in the sub this mornin

just like gurls they began talkin about there fellers as soon as they got in & told each other where they was at the evening befour at a dance

gec i gotta peech of a fellor now, mainle told the other 1, and the other 1 says you have & what is he like

then mamie spent a long time tellin what he looked like & how smart he was, being a gent who bosses the common men that unlodes boats in hoboken

you cood tell he was culchured, mamie says, when he went to a restrant to get some thing to eat

when we had coffee he poured it into a saucer to cool, but he didn't blow on it like common peepel do he fanned it with his hat

my goodness, the other gurl said, he must be like them fellers you read about in the novels, but what wood he have done if he had left his hat hanging up somewheres

but mamie dident know

THEN THEY CLINCHED

"Your boy licked my Johnny. You should lecture him for hitting a boy smaller than himself."

"Is that so! Well, you just go back and lecture your kid on the imprudence of talking sassy to a boy bigger than he is."

CHESTNUT CHARLIE











WILLIE'S SUGGESTION

"Mamma, can't I give baby a bite of my apple?"

"He has no teeth to bite with yet, dear,"

"Can't I get him yours, mamma, They're on the bureau."